

LAST NIGHT OF BOOZE IN OGDEN SEES GREAT CROWDS IN SALOONS AND ON STREETS

All records for big sales of bromo seltzer and headache tablets went by the boards today when drug stores were stormed by last night's celebrants who today were wondering why they did it. Splitting craniums and heavy eyes were being worn by some of the best people today, for last night's celebration touched all classes. The closing night of the "wet" era was celebrated by men, women, and even children. Men drank last night who never drank before. Women thronged the cafes wherever there was a connecting saloon; and young boys, some of them not more than 15 years of age, were noted in large numbers staggering about the streets.

Great crowds moved along Washington avenue, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets, sightseeing. It was a "large" sight, literally and figuratively speaking. Before the saloons closed their doors at 9 o'clock they had not only sold out every pint of beer in the places, but had also auctioned off every quart of whisky, Vermouth, absinthe and in fact every drop of intoxicating liquor in stock. Most of the saloons turned over a day's business aggregating thousands of dollars, many of the orders they received being for \$25 and \$50 lots of whisky and other liquors to be stored away in the family ice box or under the pile of coal in the cellar.

"Thank heaven we have no permis-

sion to stay open after nine o'clock," said one saloon man on Twenty-fifth street. "One more hour of this riot and my place would be wrecked." Other saloon men voiced the same sentiment. They had no trouble in disposing of their entire stock by nine o'clock, and were content at that hour to "call it a day."

Mourning crepe today adorns the front of practically every saloon along Twenty-fifth street in honor of the memory of old John Barleycorn, who departed this life last night. "He was a good fellow in his way, but he couldn't stand the abuses of his friends," said one man in pronouncing an eulogy on old Jawn this morning.

Much Stored Away.

Legally and technically, John Barleycorn may be dead so far as Ogden is concerned. It's safe to predict, however, that people will often wonder in the course of the next month or so whether the old gentleman has not risen from the dead. If the amount of liquor which was seen being carried home by hundreds of men last night is taken as a criterion, it's plain to be seen that there will be some drinking in the days to come.

Moving vans, motor beer trucks, delivery wagons, and every conceivable type of vehicle was requisitioned by the wholesale liquor dealers to distribute the purchases of whisky and other liquor throughout the city. Hundreds of men carried their own packages home. One youth was seen staggering along with a pint bottle of whisky protruding from each pocket in his trousers, a bottle in both coat pockets, and all the bottles he could carry in his arms.

Close to 100 Idaho automobiles were counted parked along Washington avenue and intersecting streets. Idaho men had decided, though their own state is dry, that they would have to fall off the wagon just out of sympathy for Utah. They were among the best customers at the busy saloons.

Good Natured Drunks. Police made few arrests although drunkenness was rampant on every side. This was undoubtedly due to the fact that most of the drunks were orderly and made few attempts to create a disturbance.

The church bells were rung at nine o'clock and again at midnight in honor of the advent of prohibition in the state. Aside from the ringing of the church bells and the blowing of automobile sirens, there was little noise in evidence.

Seats were selling at a premium on the 8:30 p. m. interurban train for Salt Lake, hundreds of men realizing that they could drink until midnight in Salt Lake while they would have to leave the saloons in this city at nine o'clock.

Workmen are busy today renovating

the interior of a number of the saloons which are to re-open shortly as combination restaurants and dance halls. Now that prohibition has come to Ogden, a number of the saloon men are going to start a movement to allow entertainers to be heard in the cafes of this city, as is allowed in a number of the Idaho cities—conducting ice cream soda cabinets, so to speak. A number of the saloons were open today as soft drink dispensaries. Good business was reported at most of the places, Becco, Puritan, and other forms of near-beer finding a ready sale; and Loganberry juice—yes, even grape juice—being disposed of in large quantities to sufferers from "that dark brown taste" who thronged the erstwhile liquor saloons.

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Catalogs, fine color printing, stationery book making, loose leaf work. New Century Printing Co., Provo, Utah.—Advertisement.

THIS YEAR'S COTTON CROP FORECAST

BERLIN, via Copenhagen, Aug. 1.—An official statement issued today by the German government, says:

"The Times (of London), and the enemy agencies following it are spreading a report about a conference alleged to have been held in the presence of the emperor at Potsdam, July 5, 1914, at which the political and military personages in Germany and Austria-Hungary took part and at which a plan was proposed to let loose the war."

"The Wolff bureau is authorized to declare the statements with all their details pure inventions. Neither on the day named nor on any other day in July, did such a joint conference occur, either with, or without, the participation of the emperor."

"Moreover, we again declare that the German government abstained from any intervention in drafting the Austrian ultimatum to Serbia and that the German government was completely ignorant of the contents of the ultimatum before its dispatch."

WILSON APPOINTMENT
WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Kirk E. Baxter of South Dakota was nominated today by President Wilson to be receiver of public moneys at Belle Fourche, S. D., a reappointment. Edwin M. Starcher of South Dakota was nominated to be register of the land office at Gregory, S. D., a reappointment.

DELAYS AT CAMPS.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Delays in preparing national guard mobilization camps, the war department announced today, will postpone their opening about two weeks.

DRAFT IN HAWAII.
HONOLULU, T. H., Aug. 1.—Preliminary reports of the draft regulation in the territory of Hawaii yesterday show 7,940 citizens and 12,020 aliens. Most of the aliens are Chinese or Japanese, fifty per cent of the citizens of Oahu island (Honolulu), entered claim for exemption.

FIRST MEN TO FACE THE EXEMPTION BOARD

The first man in Ogden to face the exemption board, to determine whether they will go to war in support of Uncle Sam, were announced yesterday afternoon. The men whose names appear below have been ordered to report for physical examination in room 809 Eccles building on the dates indicated. This is the first step in the process of formally selecting the men for the draft army. After the physical examination, the men will be called before the exemption board, which will pass on any claims they might make for exemption from military duty.

To Appear for Physical Examination
August 6, 1917, 9 A. M.

1—John Francis Statler, 2707 Polk avenue. Serial No. 258.

2—Louis Rasse, Weber hotel. Serial No. 2522.

3—Jefferson Kelsey Scott, 1827 Hudson avenue. Serial No. 453.

4—James Henry Hawkins, 3247 Pine-grove avenue. Serial No. 1436.

5—Hilde Peter Vander Kool, 3270 Stevens avenue. Serial No. 2624.

6—Harry Smith, 229 Marion hotel. Serial No. 854.

7—Robert Stowcroft, Jr., 2375 Madison avenue. Serial No. 1894.

8—Sonae Yamaguchi, 267 Twenty-fourth street. Serial No. 1878.

9—Charles L. Bacon, 262 Washington avenue. Serial No. 1095.

10—George R. Whitmeyer, 826 Twenty-fifth street. Serial No. 2022.

11—Arthur Bennett, 1819 Washington rooming houses. Serial No. 1455.

To Appear for Physical Examination
August 7, 1917, 9 A. M.

12—Frederick William Bremer, 1955 Grant avenue. Serial No. 783.

13—Lorenzo Green, Small, Idaho. Serial No. 1813.

14—Lung Hong Song, Eighteenth and Washington avenue. Serial No. 1858.

15—George William Sargent, 2759 Wall avenue. Serial No. 2389.

16—Robert William Vandye, 8448 Twenty-first street. Serial No. 1752.

17—Nobori Yamaguchi, 2480 Grant avenue. Serial No. 2494.

18—Hyrum Evans, 2960 Adams avenue. Serial No. 1177.

19—Matsuo Sakurada, 2480 Grant avenue. Serial No. 1572.

20—Henry Joseph Meyers, 2631 Grant avenue. Serial No. 2762.

21—Domina Nazaire Decosse, 216 Twenty-first street. Serial No. 1745.

22—Aslie Clement West 652 Twenty-eighth street. Serial No. 2195.

To Appear for Physical Examination
August 8, 1917, 1 A. M.

23—Foreste Faddel, 189½ Twenty-fifth street. Serial No. 837.

24—Rudolph Kunz, 401 Washington avenue. Serial No. 2036.

25—Solomon Joseph Zalman Gantz, The Virginia. Serial No. 337.

26—Dave Danzig, 226 Twenty-fifth street. Serial No. 676.

27—Robert G. Cole, 130 West Twen-

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ty-second street. Serial No. 275.
28—Alvin Welborne Barry, 1258 Twenty-sixth street. Serial No. 509.
29—Albert Frederick Baker, 506 Thirteenth street. Serial No. 1185.
30—Tokichi Miyazishima, 2490 Grant avenue. Serial No. 564.
31—Joseph Parsons, 2960 Adams avenue. Serial No. 2166.
32—Axel V. Mattson, 2929 Grant avenue. Serial No. 945.

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IOWA RATES TO BE READJUSTED

**Commission Decides Freight
Originating East Shall Be
Equitably Pro-rated**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Readjustment of rates from points in Central freight Association territories in cities in Iowa and from Iowa cities to eastern points was ordered today, effective October 13 by the interstate commerce commission.

The commission decided that on freight originating east of the Indiana-Illinois state line, the Mississippi, Missouri river proportional class scale, whatever its measure may be, shall be equitably pro-rated across the state of Iowa in constructing class rates to interior Iowa cities.

From points in Central Freight association territory west of the Pittsburg-Buffalo line and east of the Indiana-Illinois line the commission has ordered that there should be no difference in rates to Iowa cities and to St. Louis when the distances to Iowa cities are equal to or less than the distances to St. Louis. For each twenty-five miles or fraction thereof that the distances to the Iowa cities exceed the distances to St. Louis a differential

of 1 cent on the first two classes and ½ cent on the remaining four classes may be charged.

Rates from Pittsburg-Buffalo and points taking the same rates to Dubuque and St. Louis and intermediate cities on the Mississippi class rates, the commission found, should not exceed 6½ per cent of the rates between New York City and St. Louis. The basis of this finding, the commission ordered, shall apply to shipments both westbound and eastbound.

Rates from upper Mississippi river cities, from Dubuque to Keokuk inclusive, to eastern points by rail, lake and rail and ocean and rail were found to be unduly discriminatory when compared with corresponding rates from lower Mississippi cities, Quincy, Ill., to St. Louis, inclusive, to the same points. Readjustment of these rates bringing to a parity was ordered.

HEAT THE CAUSE OF MANY DEATHS

**Twenty-one in Chicago, 39 in
Philadelphia and 25 in
New York.**

SCORES PROSTRATED

**Highest Temperature Reported
at Red Bluff California
—104 Degrees.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Twenty-one deaths attributed to the present record breaking heat wave were reported in this city in the past twenty-four hours.

Philadelphia reported twenty-six additional deaths, making a total of thirty-nine in the past two days and New York twenty-five deaths and scores of prostrations as a result of the heat wave.

Pittsburg reported fifteen deaths,

Detroit ten and Cleveland fifteen. A hailstorm last night in southern Minnesota did thousands of dollars damage to crops. Cooling thunder showers were reported from Iowa and Kansas.

The highest temperature in the United States yesterday was reported from Red Bluff, Cal., with 104 degrees. Today thunder showers brought relief to the suffering thousands in Chicago, New York and Philadelphia.

BELGIAN HEADQUARTERS
CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Headquarters for the Belgian relief commission are to be established in Chicago. It was announced with the arrival of Paul Negulescu, formerly a Rumanian senator who is at the head of the national organization of Rumanians seeking relief for their war swept land.

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OBJECT OF ASSOCIATION

The Ogden Pocket Billiard Association was organized April 25, 1917, for the purpose of protecting the billiard game in Ogden from abuses then in existence and possible abuses from liquor traffic after prohibition became effective.

The association is comprised of every worthwhile billiard parlor owner and manager in Ogden. Each owner is bound by oath to keep minors from his establishment, to absolutely prohibit the use of intoxicating liquors, foul language and gambling on his premises. The penalty for the proven violation of these by-laws is expulsion from the membership of the association and a request by the association that the license of the undesirable member be forfeited by the city commissioners.

As it is barely possible that some unscrupulous persons not now belonging to the association may open disreputable places of amusement for the purpose of bootlegging and call them billiard parlors, we ask the aid of the entire community in reporting any suspicious circumstances to the nearest of the members mentioned below:

WHAT ASSOCIATION HAS ACCOMPLISHED

An association is a failure if it does not accomplish its purpose. We're a young body as yet, but the results secured have been considerable. The standardization of the prices, the barring of minors, the prohibiting of the use of liquors has become a fact. Gratifying results have been secured in raising the entire moral tone of Ogden's billiard parlors.

Undesirable characters have been weeded out, profane language and gambling abolished, until now, any parlor in Ogden is a fit place for a young man to spend a few hours of enjoyable entertainment.

Nearly every parlor is being fixed up and remodeled, new cues, racks, tables and other conveniences for the public being placed therein. The good work has only started, time alone can only bring forth the improvement we are striving for when billiards will become a national game for women as well as men.

ATTITUDE ON LIQUOR QUESTION

Fight the illegal booze traffic—We aim to be the greatest antagonists to the illegal booze traffic. It is our desire to help protect the American youth from the temptations of this curse. Every possible effort will be made by the members of this association to keep Ogden temperate and clean in the years to come. By providing clean amusement for our youths and older folks Pocket Billiards will be one of the greatest aids in making prohibition a success. The following members guarantee their places of business to be high class and in keeping with the moral sentiment of the community.

Membership:

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